

EXAMINING BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKERS, MARRIAGE AND FAMILY
THERAPISTS, AND PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS
PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR'S SECTION
MAY 11, 2000

MEMBERS PRESENT: Colleen James, LaMarr Franklin, Susan Putra

MEMBER ABSENT: Sue Kell

LEGAL COUNSEL: John Schweitzer

STAFF PRESENT: Kimberly Nania, Karen Rude-Evans

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Colleen James called the meeting to order at 9:37 a.m.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Amendments: -Item D1. Review of Rule Change
-Review of inquiries received by legal counsel will be in closed session.

MOTION: Susan Putra moved, seconded by LaMarr Franklin, to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 3, 2000

MOTION: LaMarr Franklin moved, seconded by Susan Putra, to approve the minutes of February 3, 2000 as written. Motion carried unanimously.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSED STIPULATIONS

There were no stipulations.

SUMMARY REPORTS ON PENDING COURT CASES, DISCIPLINARY CASES AND
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

These reports were informational.

SECRETARY CUMMINGS

Secretary Cummings talked about the advisory committee on psychotherapy licensure that is being developed. She wants the committee to have a diverse makeup. The committee is co-chaired by Secretary Cummings and Douglas Knight. Secretary Cummings also reminded the Board that the Board Member Workshop will be held July 13-14, 2000.

REVIEW OF AB 725 RELATING TO STUDENT LOANS

This issue is moot, as the bill did not make it through the legislature prior to the end of the session.

TESTIMONY ON AB 642

This item was informational.

REVIEW OF RULE CHANGE

These editorial changes were informational. The Section tabled until the next meeting the discussion to change the rule to allow MFT's to supervise PC's.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: LaMarr Franklin moved, seconded by Susan Putra, to recess to closed session pursuant to Chapter 19.85(1)(a), (b), (f) and (g), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of reviewing case status reports, reviewing applications and consulting with legal counsel. Roll call vote: LaMarr Franklin – yes, Susan Putra – yes, Colleen James - yes. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session recessed at 10:11 a.m.

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

Open session reconvened by consensus at 11:47 a.m.

VOTING ON ITEMS CONSIDERED/DELIBERATED ON IN CLOSED SESSION

CASE STATUS REPORT

CAROLYN MUIR

MOTION: Susan Putra moved, seconded by LaMarr Franklin, to close complaint 99 CPC 003 against Carolyn Muir for insufficient evidence. Motion carried unanimously.

PETER BOWES

MOTION: Susan Putra moved, seconded by LaMarr Franklin, to close complaint 99 CPC 015 against Peter Bowes for insufficient evidence. Motion carried unanimously.

APPLICATION REVIEWS

ALLAN HEIN

MOTION: Susan Putra moved, seconded by LaMarr Franklin, to deny the request by Allan Hein for a Professional Counselor Training Certificate, as Mr. Hein has completed his post-masters training requirement and has failed the National Counselor's Exam three (3) times. Motion carried unanimously.

DAVID SMITH

MOTION: LaMarr Franklin moved, seconded by Susan Putra, to approve David Smith for certification after his official transcript is received. Motion carried unanimously.

DAWN L BRENNAN AND MARY J LENHARD

MOTION: Susan Putra moved, seconded by LaMarr Franklin, to approve Dawn L. Brennan and Mary J. Lenhard for reciprocal certification. Motion carried unanimously.

KARLA S OPATZ

MOTION: Susan Putra moved, seconded by LaMarr Franklin, to approve Karla S. Opatz for a Professional Counselor Training Certificate. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: LaMarr Franklin moved, seconded by Susan Putra, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 11:49 a.m.

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